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Practitioner's Docket No. 03045PCT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Nippon Shokubai Co., Ltd.  
Serial No.: 10/549,243  
Filed: September 12, 2005  
For: Additive for optical resins, and optical resin composition  
Examiner: Zimmer, Marc S.  
Group No.: 1796  
Confirmation No.: 2418

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Petition For Extension Of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity) (FY 2009)

This is a respective request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 11, 2008 in the above identified application.

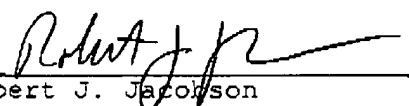
- The requested extension is two months for \$490.00 (from November 11, 2008 to Monday, January 12, 2009).
- A previous extension of one month for \$130 (from November 11, 2008 to December 11, 2008) was paid on December 10, 2008 in the amount of \$130.
- Thus, the amount due presently is \$360.00.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge said extension fee, or any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-3288 of the undersigned.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account Number 50-3288 of the undersigned.

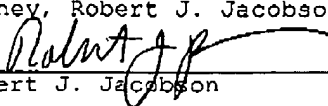
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I hereby certify that this correspondence and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA, 22313-1450 on January 12, 2009 to 1-571-273-8300 by applicant's attorney, Robert J. Jacobson.

  
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